

**REBUTTAL TESTIMONY**

**of**

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Petition for approval of delivery services tariffs and tariff revisions and of residential delivery services implementation plan and for approval of certain other amendments and additions to its rates, terms and conditions.

**Commonwealth Edison Company**

**Docket No. 01-0423**

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Witness Identification

1 Q. Please state your name and business address.

2 A. Mike Luth, Illinois Commerce Commission, 527 East Capitol Avenue,  
3 Springfield, Illinois 62701.

4 Q. Are you the same Mike Luth who pre-filed direct testimony in this docket, which  
5 was identified as ICC Staff Exhibit 6.0?

6 A. Yes, I am.

Introduction to Testimony

7 Q. What is the subject matter of this rebuttal testimony?

8 A. There are four major subjects covered in this testimony:

- 9 1. To reply to Commonwealth Edison ("Edison") rebuttal testimony and  
10 Department of Energy ("DOE") direct testimony that favors a marginal  
11 Cost of Service Study ("COSS") over an embedded COSS,
- 12 2. To reply to Edison rebuttal testimony and DOE direct testimony that  
13 suggests that delivery services rates should be based upon ratcheted  
14 demand billing units rather than unratcheted demand billing units,
- 15 3. To reply to the City of Chicago, People of the State of Illinois, Cook  
16 County State's Attorney's Office and the Citizens Utility Board  
17 (collectively "GC") direct testimony proposing a 4 Coincident Peak  
18 ("4CP") allocation factor for demand-related cost of service instead of a  
19 Non-coincident peak ("NCP") demand allocation factor, and  
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- 21 4. To comment on the burdens discussed by Edison rebuttal testimony in  
22 implementing a High-voltage rate and demand rates carried out to five  
23 decimal places.  
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25 Q. Are you sponsoring any schedules as part of your testimony?

26 A. Yes, I am.

Schedule 1 Cost of Service and Rate Design

Marginal COSS vs. Embedded COSS

27 Q. Please review your reasons for supporting an embedded COSS instead of  
28 Edison's marginal COSS.

29 A. The embedded COSS is a better match in designing rates to recover an  
30 embedded delivery services revenue requirement than Edison's marginal  
31 COSS. Edison's proposed rates, based upon its marginal COSS, do not  
32 properly take load diversity within each customer class into consideration,  
33 which would be an important price signal that a prospective customer within a  
34 given rate class might have control over. Edison's marginal COSS shows that  
35 the cost per kW varies within each rate class according to the location of a  
36 customer, where the location is defined by the kilovoltampere (kVA) load  
37 density per square mile. The variation in costs is sometimes considerable, as  
38 described in my direct testimony. The result of not basing rates upon the  
39 location of a customer is that the price signals sent by Edison's marginal  
40 COSS are blunted because there is no incentive for a prospective customer to  
41 locate in a lower-cost area.

42 The embedded COSS is a better match for the recovery of an embedded  
43 revenue requirement because it is based upon actual costs and actual  
44 customer behavior. I agree with the intervenor witnesses who describe

45 “marginal” costs determined by Edison’s marginal COSS as replacement  
46 costs. Indexed inflation of costs to connect a customer to the distribution  
47 system does not measure the costs of incremental or marginal use of the  
48 distribution system, because the customers being measured are existing, not  
49 marginal, customers. The inflation of costs for equipment already in place  
50 does not represent marginal costs because the equipment is already in place.  
51 It is more appropriate to design delivery services rates based upon an  
52 embedded COSS because the fairness of rates resulting from the actual costs  
53 chargeable to a class of customers overrides the alleged, but unproven,  
54 efficiency of rates resulting from the inflation of equipment costs already in  
55 place.

56 Q. What is your reply to Company witness Makholm’s claim that you “forget that  
57 the prime distinction between embedded cost and marginal cost concepts in  
58 ratemaking is the ability of the latter to send correct price signals, i.e. to  
59 promote the *consumer rationing* function of a sound rate structure.” (ComEd  
60 Ex. 34.0, p. 11, l. 270-273)

61 A. Most likely unwittingly, Dr. Makholm explains why a marginal COSS is  
62 inappropriate for delivery services. In attempting to explain how a marginal  
63 COSS signals the resources that will be consumed – looking forward – by a  
64 delivery services customer’s desire to take services, Dr. Makholm states that  
65 embedded costs will not be affected by these decisions of consumers, *at the*  
66 *margin*, to take delivery services or not. (ComEd Ex. 34.0, p. 11, l. 276-278)

67 Dr. Makholm then further contradicts his criticism of an embedded COSS  
68 when he says that “embedded costs remain whether or not consumers buy  
69 ComEd’s services.” (ComEd Ex. 34.0, p. 11, l. 280 and 281) If, as Dr.  
70 Makholm states, embedded costs are not affected, at the margin, by a  
71 customer’s decision to take delivery services or not, and embedded costs  
72 remain regardless of whether a customer takes delivery services, then  
73 marginal activity does not apparently cause delivery services costs. If marginal  
74 activity does not reflect cost causation, then cost causation is not reflected in  
75 Edison’s marginal COSS. Since the delivery services rates are to be  
76 designed to recover an embedded revenue requirement, it is appropriate that  
77 an embedded COSS is used to design those rates.

78 Q. Is Dr. Makholm correct in concluding that your statements are wrong that an  
79 embedded COSS measures the costs of the delivery services equipment in  
80 place resulting from the activities of the various classes of customers?

81 A. No, he is not. As explained previously, some of the points that Dr. Makholm  
82 attempts to make are contradictory. He takes issue with my statement that  
83 embedded costs are the result of the activities of the various classes of  
84 customers. In his zeal to promote pricing based upon what he terms “forward-  
85 looking” delivery services costs, he states that embedded costs remain  
86 whether or not consumers buy ComEd’s services (Id, lines 264-269 and lines  
87 279-281). Dr. Makholm’s explanation ignores the activities that necessitated  
88 100% of those costs in the first place, which is customer demand. Without

89 customer demand for delivery services, the embedded costs that Dr. Makholm  
90 dismisses as irrelevant to the concept of cost causation would not be  
91 necessary because there would be no need to build a distribution system.

92 Dr. Makholm also ignores the probability that delivery services customers will  
93 continue to demand delivery services in the near-future at a level similar to the  
94 demand in the recent past. The test year concept is based upon a reasonable  
95 expectation that near-term delivery services costs will be similar to those in the  
96 recent past because customer behavior is not expected to vary substantially.  
97 Dr. Makholm's confusing rejection of customer activity causing the embedded  
98 delivery services costs under review in this docket is not persuasive in favor of  
99 Edison's marginal COSS. Dr. Makholm's position also ignores the fairness of  
100 charging customers based upon their activities that caused those embedded  
101 costs.

102 Q. In arguing against distinguishing between new and existing customers, the  
103 Panel Rebuttal Testimony of Edison witnesses Alongi and Kelly indicate that,  
104 in the long-term view, each customer's contribution to ComEd's peak level of  
105 demand causes ComEd to incur costs when one more customer is added or  
106 one more kilowatt is demanded of the system. (ComEd Ex. 32.0, p. 7, l. 136-  
107 143) Do these comments support the use of a marginal COSS?

108 A. No, the comments support the use of an embedded COSS to determine rates  
109 designed to recover the embedded revenue requirement in this docket. As

110 equipment is added to the Edison distribution system because of additional  
111 demand, be it from existing or new customers, the embedded revenue  
112 requirement will change. At the time that Edison is no longer earning a  
113 reasonable and fair rate of return on its investment in distribution plant-in-  
114 service, new rates can be designed based upon the updated embedded  
115 revenue requirement in a future delivery services rate case. Mr. Alongi and  
116 Ms. Kelly's comments demonstrate that the continuing activities of customers,  
117 through the customers' combined demand for delivery services, cause the  
118 costs of the distribution system.

119 Q. Are you proposing different rates for delivery services customers within the  
120 same rate class, depending upon whether the customers are new or existing?

121 A. No, I am not. The section of my direct testimony that Edison Panel witnesses  
122 Alongi and Kelly reference is meant to show that the price signals indicated by  
123 Edison's marginal COSS are minimized. It is more appropriate for the  
124 delivery services charges that a customer class will pay to be based upon the  
125 demand that the customer class places on the distribution system, as is  
126 reflected in an embedded COSS, rather than an averaging of inflated  
127 distribution system costs based upon an index, as is reflected in Edison's  
128 marginal COSS.

129 Q. Please clarify your assertion concerning hypothetical costs being reflected in  
130 Edison's marginal COSS, which Edison panel witnesses Alongi and Kelly

131 characterize as current costs of distribution facilities (ComEd Ex. 32.0, p. 10,  
132 lines 209-214).

133 A. The current costs in the marginal COSS are hypothetical in that the costs are  
134 inflated by an index, rather than representing the actual costs of the equipment  
135 that is included in the embedded revenue requirement to be determined in this  
136 docket.

137 Q. United States Department of Energy witness Dr. Swan favors a marginal  
138 COSS over an embedded COSS based upon his belief that economic  
139 efficiency is improved with a marginal COSS (Direct Testimony of Dr. Dale E.  
140 Swan, pp. 5-6, l. 92-103). Assuming the clients that Dr. Swan represents are  
141 in the over 10,000 kW delivery services class, which is the largest proposed  
142 customer class, what is the class revenue requirement for the over 10,000 kW  
143 delivery services class under the marginal COSS compared to the embedded  
144 COSS?

145 A. The over 10,000 kW class has a delivery services revenue requirement of  
146 \$60.1 million under Edison's marginal COSS (ComEd Ex. 13.1, p. 3),  
147 compared to \$76.7 million under Edison's embedded COSS (Edison reply to  
148 Staff data request ML-1). The \$16.6 million difference would be left to other  
149 delivery services customers. The value of Dr. Swan's counsel to the  
150 Commission of his preference for a marginal COSS under the banner of  
151 economic efficiency is a bit tempered by the self-interest that his counsel  
152 serves.



153 Under Edison's embedded COSS, the over 10,000 kW class would pay  
154 approximately \$.00741 per kWh compared to \$.0367 per kWh for the single  
155 family without space heat. (Id.) The over 10,000 kW class would pay just over  
156 1/5<sup>th</sup> of the per-kWh delivery services rate. The High-voltage rate or credit for  
157 the over 10,000 class reduces the per-kWh rate for those customers further.  
158 Even though the over 10,000 kW delivery services customer class is billed per  
159 kW of demand compared to the per-kWh consumption rate for residential  
160 customers, the per-kWh rate indicates that the embedded COSS provides  
161 relief to the clients represented by Dr. Swan for their high-volume use of the  
162 distribution system in the form of a substantially lower rate.

4CP Allocation Factor vs. NCP Allocation Factor

163 Q. Should demand-related charges be based upon the 4-month Coincident Peak  
164 ("4CP") allocation factor recommended by City of Chicago, People of the  
165 State of Illinois, Cook County State's Attorney Office and Citizens Utility Board  
166 witness Bodmer (GC Exhibit 1.0, pp. 60-71, l. 1179-1388) instead of the Non-  
167 coincident Peak ("NCP") allocation factor used in your embedded COSS?

168 A. No, it should not. As Mr. Bodmer mentions, there is no perfect system-wide  
169 allocation factor for demand-related delivery services costs. (Id., p. 67, l.  
170 1312-1327) The NCP can be viewed as a measure of the potential  
171 contribution of each customer class to cost causation because the sum of the  
172 NCP for all customer classes represents the capacity of the distribution system  
173 that stands by to serve the electrical demand of all customers at any given

174 time. While the entire distribution system is not sized to meet the sum of NCP  
175 for all customer classes at the same time, some elements of it are sized to  
176 meet localized peak demands, as explained by Edison witness Born (ComEd  
177 Ex. 37.0, pp. 4-7, l. 66-125). Efforts to downsize the capacity, and cost, of  
178 elements of the distribution system according to system-wide peak demands,  
179 rather than the sum of the peaks of all customer classes, represent cost  
180 savings in meeting the projected peak for all customers, but should not  
181 represent a method of determining the costs of the entire distribution system  
182 caused by each class of customers. While not perfect, NCP is a fair measure  
183 of the use of the distribution system by each class of customers, and is  
184 therefore a fair measure of determining rates for that use.

185 Q. Do you agree with Edison witness Heintz' revision of his embedded COSS  
186 which allocates the costs of High-voltage equipment to the customer classes  
187 according to a 1CP method? (ComEd Ex. 33.0, p. 4, l. 94-108)

188 A. Yes, I do. Mr. Heintz' revision is supported in the rebuttal testimony of Edison  
189 witness Born, an engineer. (ComEd Ex. 37.0, p. 5, line 79-87). It is  
190 reasonable to expect that high-voltage equipment is not sized according to the  
191 sum of localized peak demands over several points in time in a given year.  
192 The costs for high-voltage equipment, which is used in less of a localized  
193 manner and more in a system-wide manner, should be allocated according to  
194 the contribution of each customer class to the system-wide peak, as is fairly  
195 represented by a 1CP allocation factor. The use of a 1CP allocation factor for

196 High-voltage distribution substations and High-voltage distribution lines is  
197 reflected in Schedule 1 attached to this rebuttal testimony.

Rate Design - Ratcheted vs. Unratcheted Demand Billing Units

198 Q. Do Edison panel rebuttal witnesses Clair and Crumrine (ComEd Ex. 31.0, pp.  
199 10-12, I. 227-273) accept your proposal to design demand-metered rates  
200 based upon unratcheted billing units?

201 A. No, they do not. They continue to push for demand-metered rates based upon  
202 ratcheted billing units. They state that they believe ratcheted rates are  
203 appropriately responsive to changes in demand resulting from efficiency  
204 improvements or slumped business conditions.

205 Q. Are their arguments persuasive?

206 A. No, they are not. In reply to the concern that a customer's bill would not be  
207 reduced if slumped business conditions resulted in reduced demand, Edison  
208 panel witnesses Clair and Crumrine express their agreement with Department  
209 of Energy witness Swan's analogy comparing a demand ratchet with a lease  
210 for real estate. (Id., p. 11, I. 233-243) Dr. Swan's analogy stated that the cost  
211 of a real estate lease would not be reduced if a change in business conditions  
212 resulted in a need for less space. Possible renegotiation of the business  
213 lease aside, another analogy would be using a service station to partially fill a  
214 delivery truck's fuel tank. A demand ratchet would charge the delivery truck for  
215 the annual high of, for example, 100 gallons of fuel taken 9 months ago, even if,

216 at the present time, the delivery truck takes only 15 gallons. Standard  
217 procedure, of course, would charge the delivery truck for only 15 gallons, since  
218 that was all that was taken. As a source of energy delivery, the distribution  
219 system is a closer analogy to a service station than a real estate lease, but the  
220 difference in treatment of a customer indicates that analogies are not always  
221 illustrative and can be used to show different sides of a given issue.

222 Edison witnesses Clair and Crumrine also state that a billing ratchet provides  
223 more of an economic incentive to install efficiency improvements. This would  
224 be the case if the demand ratchet is considerably higher than average demand  
225 and the efficiency improvements reduced the demand ratchet by a greater  
226 percentage than average demand. If the potential efficiency improvements  
227 reduced peak demand only slightly, however, while significantly reducing  
228 average demand over the course of 11 months, the customer's demand billing  
229 would be affected only to a small degree because the demand ratchet based  
230 upon peak demand would change only slightly. If the demand ratchet did not  
231 change sufficiently to make the improvements financially beneficial to the  
232 customer, the improvements would probably not be made. To the extent that a  
233 demand-ratcheted customer peaked during a non-summer month, any extra  
234 reliability contributed to the distribution system during high distribution demand  
235 summer months because of the potential efficiency improvements would be  
236 lost.

237 Q. Are the demand charges in Edison's bundled rates billed according to a  
238 demand ratchet?

239 A. No, demand charges under bundled rates are billed according to the monthly  
240 demand reading as opposed to a ratcheted demand charge based upon the  
241 maximum demand reading over the past 12 months. In rejecting ARES  
242 coalition witness Dr. Ulrich's proposal that Edison's rate structure be realigned  
243 by voltage level, Edison panel rebuttal witnesses Clair and Crumrine state that  
244 Dr. Ulrich's proposal would "completely upset the apple cart . . ." (Edison Ex.  
245 31.0, p. 23, l. 515) Edison panel rebuttal witnesses Clair and Crumrine do not  
246 apply the same criticism to Edison's proposal in this docket to base demand-  
247 related delivery services charges upon a demand ratchet, although the "apple  
248 cart would be upset" because Edison's proposal represents a change in the  
249 method of billing for demand-related charges. Customer comparison of  
250 delivery services charges, which would include the charges for the purchase of  
251 power from an ARES, with bundled rates would be complicated by the  
252 difference in billing approaches. Billing for demand-related charges based  
253 upon a billing ratchet would also affect Edison's billing system, with the  
254 requirement that the current month's demand be compared to monthly  
255 demands over the past 12 months. As explained in my direct testimony and  
256 reiterated here in rebuttal testimony, Edison's proposed demand ratchet for  
257 delivery services suffers from the same problems discussed in the  
258 Commission's Order in the previous Edison delivery services docket where  
259 the demand ratchet was rejected. (Order, Docket No. 99-0117, pp. 58-64)

High-voltage Rate Design

260 Q. What is your assessment of the description of your proposed high-voltage rate  
261 as burdensome and confusing in the panel rebuttal testimony of Edison  
262 witnesses Clair and Crumrine? (ComEd Ex. 31.0, pp. 25-26, l. 569-589)

263 A. It is difficult to determine why a single separate rate for high-voltage service  
264 points is more burdensome and confusing than a credit that represents a  
265 discount from full-price demand charges. If I were a high-voltage customer and  
266 it was explained to me that I would be billed according to a "Gross" demand  
267 charge reduced by a "High-voltage credit", my reaction would be to ask "What  
268 do I pay?" A single separate high-voltage rate would eliminate that sequence  
269 for the customer, and the amount to be paid for service from high-voltage  
270 delivery points would be clearer than a billing system obscured by a "Gross"  
271 charge minus a "Credit."

272 With respect to a burden placed on Edison, the burden may have to do with  
273 changing the bill presentation to describe the high-voltage line as a rate rather  
274 than a credit, and changing the calculation of the total bill from a gross demand  
275 charge minus a high-voltage credit to a low-voltage demand charge plus a  
276 high-voltage demand charge. This would not seem to be any more of a burden  
277 than making the necessary inputs to change the delivery services rates that will  
278 likely result from the Commission's Order in this docket.

Rate Design Billing Constraints

279 Q. Did you place any constraints on the number of decimal points in the delivery  
280 services rates that you proposed in direct testimony?

281 A. Yes, I did. Contrary to the comment in the panel rebuttal testimony of Edison  
282 witnesses Alongi and Kelly stating that I did not apply any billing system  
283 constraints, (ComEd Ex. 32.0, p. 26, l. 547 through 549) I limited all demand-  
284 related rates to five decimal places, which is the same number of decimal  
285 places proposed in Edison's proposed per-kWh delivery services rates for  
286 those customers not served by demand meters. A higher number of decimal  
287 places minimizes rounding problems in class revenue recovery. The form of  
288 my proposed fixed monthly customer charges is the same as Edison's, being  
289 carried out to two decimal places, or dollars and cents.

290 Similar to the criticisms concerning a single high-voltage rate compared to a  
291 "Gross" demand charge minus a high-voltage credit, it is difficult to understand  
292 how additional decimal places contained in a delivery services rate imposes a  
293 significant burden on Edison's billing system. Edison will be required to make  
294 changes to its billing systems to install revised and new delivery services rates  
295 resulting from the Commission's Order in this docket. Edison's billing system  
296 should have the ability to accommodate five decimal places for demand rates,  
297 given that the per-kWh rates are carried out to five decimal places.

298 Q. Does this conclude your rebuttal testimony?

299 A. Yes, it does.



COMMONWEALTH EDISON COMPANY  
COST OF SERVICE STUDY AND RATE DESIGN

TEST YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2000

0.8361310

	Allocator	Total ICC	Single Family w/o SH	Single Family w/SH	Multi Family w/o SH	Multi Family w/SH	GS No Demand	GS 0-25 kw	GS 26-100 kw	GS 101-400 kw	GS 401-800 kw		
ADDITIONS													
1	Illinois Electricity Distribution Tax	KWH-ALL	88,119,175	17,924,752	1,025,428	3,749,478	1,855,386	700,189	3,619,375	6,913,579	10,130,796	8,057,086	
2	System Black Start	KWH-ALL	361,878	73,611	4,211	15,398	7,619	2,875	14,864	28,392	41,604	33,088	
3	TOTAL COST OF SERVICE (Revenue-Related Undistributed)		1,494,140,980 1,494,140,980	551,057,604	21,217,832	154,527,908	49,231,571	19,566,892	66,633,780	96,622,817	127,073,457	89,395,231	
DEMAND-RELATED COST OF SERVICE (Reduced for Other Revenues)													
4	High Voltage ESS		11,623,764	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13,314	
5	High Voltage Dist. Substations		237,783,694	75,571,167	2,111,805	15,445,566	3,971,635	2,368,713	11,628,006	20,634,417	28,047,191	19,524,378	
6	High Voltage Dist. Lines		33,365,269	10,603,975	296,324	2,167,287	557,291	332,372	1,631,615	2,895,375	3,935,518	2,739,616	
7	Distribution Substations		100,514,894	33,728,423	1,707,958	6,167,179	3,772,759	870,539	4,261,023	7,716,615	10,490,195	7,523,041	
8	Distribution Lines		612,430,755	205,505,104	10,406,478	37,576,221	22,987,176	5,304,138	25,962,138	47,016,839	63,916,078	45,837,400	
9	Line Transformers		68,954,429	23,285,087	1,179,123	4,257,634	2,604,599	600,994	2,941,682	5,327,319	7,242,114	5,193,681	
10	Uncollectible Accounts		8,292,914	1,741,616	149,191	3,443,930	759,574	55,403	283,589	565,142	630,973	402,006	
11	Revenue-related Illinois Electricity Distribution Tax and		(12,268,872)	(4,121,861)	(180,271)	(824,912)	(396,847)	(117,526)	(579,576)	(957,915)	(1,264,772)	(892,760)	
12	System Black Start		88,481,053	17,998,363	1,029,640	3,764,876	1,863,006	703,065	3,634,239	6,941,971	10,172,400	8,090,174	
13	Total Demand-related Costs		1,149,177,899	364,311,875	16,700,247	71,997,782	36,119,193	10,117,698	49,762,717	90,139,764	123,169,698	88,430,850	
14	Less: High-voltage Revenues		17,557,725	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	628	19,514	
15	Net Demand-related Costs <69 kV)		1,111,914,945	364,311,875	16,700,247	71,997,782	36,119,193	10,117,698	49,762,717	90,139,764	123,169,070	88,411,336	
Divided by: Unratcheted Demand billing units (<69 kV)													
16			18,085,441,483	1,052,574,530	3,757,622,321	1,931,763,743	693,286,760	13,557,695	22,077,986	28,494,232	19,038,553		
17	Rate	\$	0.02014	\$	0.01587	\$	0.01916	\$	0.01870	\$	0.01459	\$	0.64381
	- per kWh or kW		per kWh		per kWh		per kWh		per kWh		per kW		per kW

COMMONWEALTH EDISON COMPANY  
COST OF SERVICE STUDY AND RATE DESIGN

TEST YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2000

Allocator	GS 801-1000 kw	GS 1001-3000 kw	GS 3001-6000 kw	GS 6001-10000 kw	GS Over 10000 kw	Fixt. Incl. Ltg	Street Lighting Dusk to Dawn	All Other Lighting	Railroads	Water/Sewer Pumping	
ADDITIONS											
1 Illinois Electricity Distribution Tax	KWH-ALL	2,371,398	10,388,338	6,122,413	2,875,851	10,531,436	129,716	493,844	90,846	452,526	686,736
2 System Black Start	KWH-ALL	9,739	42,662	25,143	11,810	43,249	533	2,028	373	1,858	2,820
3 TOTAL COST OF SERVICE (Revenue-Related Undistributed)		26,742,419	107,467,538	60,261,541	26,331,785	63,626,196	14,905,649	5,444,413	705,734	6,151,718	7,176,895
DEMAND-RELATED COST OF SERVICE (Reduced for Other Revenues)											
4 High Voltage ESS		1,414	53,980	289,678	521,341	10,744,037	0	0	0	0	0
5 High Voltage Dist. Substations		5,636,471	22,277,697	12,547,125	5,529,767	9,993,564	3,238	11,965	133,809	1,074,680	1,272,499
6 High Voltage Dist. Lines		790,897	3,125,956	1,760,584	775,924	1,402,274	454	1,679	18,776	150,797	178,554
7 Distribution Substations		2,304,603	8,794,533	5,027,854	2,133,794	4,007,499	154,233	584,779	50,686	634,480	584,701
8 Distribution Lines		14,041,799	53,584,524	30,634,391	13,001,070	24,417,431	939,732	3,563,021	308,824	3,865,843	3,562,546
9 Line Transformers		1,591,029	6,071,481	3,471,079	1,473,107	2,766,656	106,478	403,714	34,992	0	403,660
10 Uncollectible Accounts		115,878	63,041	34,202	15,210	29,220	371	1,349	276	-	1,942
11 Revenue-related Illinois Electricity Distribution Tax and		(267,836)	(1,028,805)	(588,100)	(256,486)	(587,077)	(16,866)	(50,590)	(6,027)	(61,991)	(68,656)
12 System Black Start		2,381,137	10,431,000	6,147,556	2,887,661	10,574,685	130,249	495,872	91,219	454,385	689,556
13 Total Demand-related Costs		26,595,391	103,373,407	59,324,370	26,081,388	63,348,290	1,317,890	5,011,789	632,554	6,118,193	6,624,802
14 Less: High-voltage Revenues		-	56,197	284,167	583,253	16,613,965					
15 Net Demand-related Costs <69 kV)		26,595,391	103,317,210	59,040,203	25,498,135	46,734,325					
Divided by: Unratcheted Demand billing units <69 kV)											
16		5,470,816	22,384,760	12,346,201	5,428,188	9,984,179					
17 Rate	\$	4.86132	\$ 4.61552	\$ 4.78205	\$ 4.69736	\$ 4.68084	see page 9, this schedule	combined with customer costs below	combined with customer costs below	\$ 4.64071	combined with customer costs below
- per kWh or kW		per kW	per kW	per kW	per kW	per kW				per kW	

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COST OF SERVICE STUDY AND RATE DESIGN

TEST YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2000

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	<u>Allocator</u>	<u>Total ICC</u>	Single Family <u>w/o SH</u>	Single Family <u>w/SH</u>	Multi Family <u>w/o SH</u>	Multi Family <u>w/SH</u>	GS <u>No Demand</u>	GS <u>0-25 kw</u>	GS <u>26-100 kw</u>	GS <u>101-400 kw</u>	GS <u>401-800 kw</u>
1	Uncollectible Accounts - High Voltage Share	HV/Total								9	269
2	Revenue-related - High Voltage Share	HV/Total								(19)	(598)
	Illinois Electricity Distribution Tax and										
3	System Black Start - High Voltage Share	HV/Total								<u>153</u>	<u>5,423</u>
4										144	5,094
5	Divided by: Unratcheted High-voltage billing units									<u>429</u>	<u>12,770</u>
6										\$ 0.33475	\$ 0.39889
7	Plus: High Voltage Demand Rate									<u>1.12926</u>	<u>1.12926</u>
8	Total High Voltage Demand Rate						\$ 1.46401	\$ 1.46401	\$ 1.46401	\$ 1.52815	
9	Unratcheted High-voltage billing units						<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>429</u>	<u>12,770</u>	
10	High-voltage Revenues						<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 628</u>	<u>\$ 19,514</u>	

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Allocator	Total ICC	Single Family w/o SH	Single Family w/SH	Multi Family w/o SH	Multi Family w/SH	GS No Demand	GS 0-25 kw	GS 26-100 kw	GS 101-400 kw	GS 401-800 kw
CUSTOMER-RELATED COST OF SERVICE (Reduced for Other Revenues)										
1 Services	24,008,561	17,011,841	664,063	1,560,205	389,212	396,697	526,832	486,551	1,742,696	388,807
2 Customer Install. Other	51,489,443	30,081,717	679,543	13,657,827	2,205,886	1,590,639	2,112,441	750,095	248,014	55,334
3 Fixt.-Incl. Lig.	13,596,303	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4 Billing -- Computation & Data Mang.	137,300,371	77,351,558	1,747,364	35,119,477	5,672,174	4,090,138	5,431,890	1,928,780	637,739	142,284
5 Bill Issue & Processing	21,925,257	12,809,410	289,363	5,815,782	939,311	677,326	899,520	319,406	105,610	23,562
6 Customer Information	13,743,592	8,029,429	181,384	3,645,555	588,796	424,574	563,854	200,216	66,200	14,770
7 Uncollectible Accounts	4,269,895	725,648	33,842	3,138,711	219,521	41,972	58,243	24,914	15,549	3,107
8 Revenue-Related	(3,172,281)	(1,717,382)	(40,892)	(751,804)	(114,691)	(89,035)	(119,032)	(42,229)	(31,168)	(6,900)
9 Total Customer-related Costs	<u>263,161,139</u>	144,292,220	3,554,666	62,185,752	9,900,211	7,132,311	9,473,747	3,667,732	2,784,640	620,963
Divided by: Monthly bills, except Pumping Class kWh		24,692,283	557,791	11,210,889	1,810,676	1,305,660	1,733,977	615,702	203,585	45,417
10										
11 Monthly Customer Charge	\$	5.84	\$ 6.37	\$ 5.55	\$ 5.47	\$ 5.46	\$ 5.46	\$ 5.96	\$ 13.68	\$ 13.67
- Lighting and Pumping Class on a per-kWh basis, all others a fixed monthly charge		per month	per month	per month	per month	per month	per month	per month	per month	per month
12 METERING SERVICES	<u>81,801,942</u>	42,453,510	962,918	20,344,374	3,212,168	2,316,884	7,397,316	2,815,321	1,119,119	343,418
Divided by: Monthly bills, except Lighting and Pumping Class kWh		24,692,283	557,791	11,210,889	1,810,676	1,305,660	1,733,977	615,702	203,585	45,417
13										
Monthly Metering Charge, except Lighting and Pumping Class kWh	\$	1.72	\$ 1.73	\$ 1.81	\$ 1.77	\$ 1.77	\$ 4.27	\$ 4.57	\$ 5.50	\$ 7.56
14										
15 TOTAL COST OF SERVICE	<u>\$ 1,494,140,980</u>	<u>\$ 551,057,604</u>	<u>\$ 21,217,832</u>	<u>\$ 154,527,908</u>	<u>\$ 49,231,571</u>	<u>\$ 19,566,892</u>	<u>\$ 66,633,780</u>	<u>\$ 96,622,817</u>	<u>\$ 127,073,457</u>	<u>\$ 89,395,231</u>

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Allocator	GS 801-1000 kw	GS 1001-3000 kw	GS 3001-6000 kw	GS 6001-10000 kw	GS Over 10000 kw	Fixt. Incl. Ltg	Street Lighting Dusk to Dawn	All Other Lighting	Railroads	Water/Sewer Pumping
CUSTOMER-RELATED COST OF SERVICE (Reduced for Other Revenues)										
1 Services	66,462	148,965	32,643	8,613	-	-	300,786	31,903	-	252,288
2 Customer Install. Other	9,459	20,481	4,488	1,184	1,243	26,358	26,066	8,962	29	9,678
3 Fixt.-Incl. Ltg.	-	-	-	-	-	13,596,303	-	-	-	-
4 Billing -- Computation & Data Mang.	24,322	3,662,368	802,532	211,743	222,199	135,555	67,026	23,044	5,295	24,886
5 Bill Issue & Processing	4,028	8,721	1,911	504	529	11,224	11,099	3,816	12	4,121
6 Customer Information	2,525	5,467	1,198	316	332	7,036	6,958	2,392	8	2,583
7 Uncollectible Accounts	508	2,582	536	144	123	4,242	122	35	-	95
8 Revenue-Related	(1,174)	(42,135)	(9,224)	(2,434)	(2,469)	(192,959)	(4,565)	(772)	(58)	(3,358)
9 Total Customer-related Costs	106,128	3,806,450	834,083	220,071	221,957	13,587,759	5,419,280	701,933	5,287	6,915,095
Divided by: Monthly bills, except Pumping										
10 Class kWh	7,761	16,813	3,688	964	1,021		482,239,768	88,711,232	840	672,591,581
11 Monthly Customer Charge	\$ 13.67	\$ 226.40	\$ 226.16	\$ 228.29	\$ 217.39		\$ 0.01124	\$ 0.00791	\$ 6.29	\$ 0.01028
- Lighting and Pumping Class on a per-kWh basis, all others a fixed monthly charge	per month	per month	per month	per month	per month		per kWh	per kWh	per month	per kWh
12 METERING SERVICES	40,900	287,681	103,087	30,326	55,949	-	25,132	3,801	28,238	261,800
Divided by: Monthly bills, except Lighting										
13 and Pumping Class kWh	7,761	16,813	3,688	964	1,021		482,239,768	88,711,232	840	672,591,581
Monthly Metering Charge, except Lighting										
14 and Pumping Class kWh	\$ 5.27	\$ 17.11	\$ 27.95	\$ 31.46	\$ 54.80		\$ 0.00005	\$ 0.00004	\$ 33.62	\$ 0.00039
15 TOTAL COST OF SERVICE	\$ 26,742,419	\$ 107,467,538	\$ 60,261,541	\$ 26,331,785	\$ 63,626,196	\$ 14,905,649	\$ 5,444,413	\$ 705,734	\$ 6,151,718	\$ 7,176,895

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Allocator	Total ICC	Single Family w/o SH	Single Family w/SH	Multi Family w/o SH	Multi Family w/SH	GS No Demand	GS 0-25 kw	GS 26-100 kw	GS 101-400 kw	GS 401-800 kw
REVENUES AS BILLED										
1 Demand Rate		\$ 0.02015	\$ 0.01586	\$ 0.01916	\$ 0.01870	\$ 0.01459	\$ 3.67043	\$ 4.08278	\$ 4.32260	\$ 4.64381
2 Multiplied by: Demand Billing Units		18,085,441,483	1,052,574,530	3,757,622,321	1,931,763,743	693,286,760	13,557,695	22,077,986	28,494,232	19,038,553
3 Demand Revenues		\$ 364,421,646	\$ 16,693,832	\$ 71,996,044	\$ 36,123,982	\$ 10,115,054	\$ 49,762,570	\$ 90,139,560	\$ 123,169,167	\$ 88,411,423
4 High-Voltage Demand Rate		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1.46401	\$ 1.46401	\$ 1.46401	\$ 1.52815
5 Multiplied by: High-Voltage Billing Units		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	429	12,770
6 High-Voltage Demand Revenues		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 628	\$ 19,514
7 Monthly Customer Charge		\$ 5.84	\$ 6.37	\$ 5.55	\$ 5.47	\$ 5.46	\$ 5.46	\$ 5.96	\$ 13.67	\$ 13.67
8 Multiplied by: Monthly Bills		24,692,283	557,791	11,210,889	1,810,676	1,305,660	1,733,977	615,702	203,585	45,417
9 Customer Charge Revenues		\$ 144,202,933	\$ 3,553,129	\$ 62,220,434	\$ 9,904,398	\$ 7,128,904	\$ 9,467,514	\$ 3,669,584	\$ 2,783,007	\$ 620,850
10 Monthly Meter Charge		\$ 1.72	\$ 1.73	\$ 1.81	\$ 1.77	\$ 1.77	\$ 4.27	\$ 4.57	\$ 5.50	\$ 7.56
11 Multiplied by: Monthly Bills		24,692,283	557,791	11,210,889	1,810,676	1,305,660	1,733,977	615,702	203,585	45,417
12 Metering Charge Revenues		\$ 42,470,727	\$ 964,978	\$ 20,291,709	\$ 3,204,897	\$ 2,311,018	\$ 7,404,082	\$ 2,813,758	\$ 1,119,718	\$ 343,353
13 Total Revenues as Billed	\$ 1,494,140,969	\$ 551,095,305	\$ 21,211,939	\$ 154,508,187	\$ 49,233,276	\$ 19,554,976	\$ 66,634,167	\$ 96,622,902	\$ 127,072,520	\$ 89,395,140
14 Total Revenues Allocated	1,494,140,980	551,057,604	21,217,832	154,527,908	49,231,571	19,566,892	66,633,780	96,622,817	127,073,457	89,395,231
15 Excess/(deficit)	\$ (11)	\$ 37,701	\$ (5,893)	\$ (19,721)	\$ 1,705	\$ (11,917)	\$ 387	\$ 84	\$ (937)	\$ (91)

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Allocator	GS 801-1000 kw	GS 1001-3000 kw	GS 3001-6000 kw	GS 6001-10000 kw	GS Over 10000 kw	Fixt. Incl. Ltg	Street Lighting Dusk to Dawn	All Other Lighting	Railroads	Water/Sewer Pumping
REVENUES AS BILLED										
1 Demand Rate	\$ 4.86132	\$ 4.61551	\$ 4.78206	\$ 4.69736	\$ 4.68084	see page 9,	\$ 0.01124	\$ 0.00791	\$ 4.64071	\$ 0.01028
2 Multiplied by: Demand Billing Units	<u>5,470,816</u>	<u>22,384,760</u>	<u>12,346,201</u>	<u>5,428,188</u>	<u>9,984,179</u>	<u>this schedule</u>	<u>482,239,768</u>	<u>88,711,232</u>	<u>1,318,375</u>	<u>672,591,581</u>
3 Demand Revenues	<u>\$ 26,595,387</u>	<u>\$ 103,317,084</u>	<u>\$ 59,040,274</u>	<u>\$ 25,498,153</u>	<u>\$ 46,734,344</u>		<u>\$ 5,420,375</u>	<u>\$ 701,706</u>	<u>\$ 6,118,196</u>	<u>\$ 6,914,241</u>
4 High-Voltage Demand Rate	\$ 1.53979	\$ 1.55142	\$ 1.57580	\$ 1.58585	\$ 1.62493	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
5 Multiplied by: High-Voltage Billing Units	<u>-</u>	<u>36,223</u>	<u>180,332</u>	<u>367,786</u>	<u>10,224,419</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
6 High-Voltage Demand Revenues	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 56,197</u>	<u>\$ 284,167</u>	<u>\$ 583,253</u>	<u>\$ 16,613,965</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
7 Monthly Customer Charge	\$ 13.67	\$ 226.40	\$ 226.15	\$ 228.29	\$ 217.40	\$ -			\$ 6.30	
8 Multiplied by: Monthly Bills	<u>7,761</u>	<u>16,813</u>	<u>3,688</u>	<u>964</u>	<u>1,021</u>	<u>-</u>			<u>840</u>	
9 Customer Charge Revenues	<u>\$ 106,093</u>	<u>\$ 3,806,463</u>	<u>\$ 834,041</u>	<u>\$ 220,072</u>	<u>\$ 221,965</u>	<u>\$ -</u>			<u>\$ 5,292</u>	
10 Monthly Meter Charge	\$ 5.27	\$ 17.11	\$ 27.95	\$ 31.46	\$ 54.80	\$ -	\$ 0.00005	\$ 0.00004	\$ 33.62	\$ 0.00039
11 Multiplied by: Monthly Bills	<u>7,761</u>	<u>16,813</u>	<u>3,688</u>	<u>964</u>	<u>1,021</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>482,239,768</u>	<u>88,711,232</u>	<u>840</u>	<u>672,591,581</u>
12 Metering Charge Revenues	<u>\$ 40,900</u>	<u>\$ 287,670</u>	<u>\$ 103,080</u>	<u>\$ 30,327</u>	<u>\$ 55,951</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 24,112</u>	<u>\$ 3,548</u>	<u>\$ 28,241</u>	<u>\$ 262,311</u>
13 Total Revenues as Billed	\$ 26,742,381	\$ 107,467,414	\$ 60,261,562	\$ 26,331,806	\$ 63,626,226	\$ 14,905,147	\$ 5,444,487	\$ 705,254	\$ 6,151,729	\$ 7,176,552
14 Total Revenues Allocated	<u>26,742,419</u>	<u>107,467,538</u>	<u>60,261,541</u>	<u>26,331,785</u>	<u>63,626,196</u>	<u>14,905,649</u>	<u>5,444,413</u>	<u>705,734</u>	<u>6,151,718</u>	<u>7,176,895</u>
15 Excess/(deficit)	<u>\$ (39)</u>	<u>\$ (124)</u>	<u>\$ 21</u>	<u>\$ 21</u>	<u>\$ 30</u>	<u>\$ (502)</u>	<u>\$ 74</u>	<u>\$ (480)</u>	<u>\$ 11</u>	<u>\$ (343)</u>



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FIXTURE-INCLUDED LIGHTING

1	Staff COSS Total Costs allocated	\$ 14,905,649
	Divided by: Company COSS Total	
2	Cost allocated	<u>18,312,538</u>
3	Adjustment Factor	<u>0.81396</u>

	Charge per Fixture Municipal Street Lighting:	Billing Units	Co. Proposed Rate	Adjustment Factor	Staff Rate	Revenues
4	Mercury Vapor -- 100 watts	252,558	\$ 5.05	0.81396	\$ 4.11	\$ 1,038,013
5	175 watts	649,128	5.62	0.81396	\$ 4.57	2,966,515
6	250 watts	104,106	6.21	0.81396	\$ 5.05	525,735
7	400 watts	118,194	7.43	0.81396	\$ 6.05	715,074
8	High Pressure Sodium -- 70 watts	16,662	\$ 5.59	0.81396	\$ 4.54	\$ 75,645
9	100 watts	189,972	5.47	0.81396	\$ 4.45	845,375
10	150 watts	188,640	5.86	0.81396	\$ 4.77	899,813
11	250 watts	131,922	6.92	0.81396	\$ 5.63	742,721
12	400 watts	25,020	8.12	0.81396	\$ 6.61	165,382
13	1,000 watts	1,644	17.56	0.81396	\$ 14.29	23,493
14	Special Equipment -- Bracket <8 feet	905,808	\$ 2.64	0.81396	\$ 2.15	\$ 1,947,487
15	Bracket >8 feet	622,254	5.37	0.81396	\$ 4.37	2,719,250
16	Luminaire -- Post Top (Early American/Contemporary)	51,426	\$ 2.57	0.81396	\$ 2.09	\$ 107,480
17	Luminaire -- Acorn	4,782	6.98	0.81396	\$ 5.68	27,162
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	Charge per Fixture Private Outdoor Lighting:					
18	Mercury Vapor -- 175 watts	136,799	\$ 6.07	0.81396	\$ 4.94	\$ 675,787
19	400 watts	47,865	8.25	0.81396	\$ 6.72	321,653
20	High Pressure Sodium Flood -- 100 watts	26,930	\$ 7.85	0.81396	\$ 6.39	\$ 172,083
21	250 watts	121,142	8.67	0.81396	\$ 7.06	855,263
22	High Pressure Sodium Conventional - 100 watts	5,373	\$ 6.06	0.81396	\$ 4.93	\$ 26,489
23	400 watts	10,464	6.43	0.81396	\$ 5.23	<u>54,727</u>
24		3,610,689				<u>\$ 14,905,147</u>